

VILNIUS KAROLINIŠKĖS MUSIC SCHOOL

International competition for young string instrument players “A Day with a Lithuanian Play 2023”

REGULATIONS

I. COMMON REGULATIONS

1. The regulations of the international competition for young string instrument players “A Day with a Lithuanian play” define the competition goals, participants, conditions for participation, competition schedule, evaluation, awards, the hosting of the competition.
2. The event is organized by the string instrument teachers’ methods group of the Vilnius Karoliniškės Music School.
3. Information about the competition is provided on the website of Vilnius Karoliniškės Music School: <https://www.karoliniskiumm.lt/>.
4. The competition will be held on March 25th 2023 at 11:00 a. m. at Vilnius Karoliniškės Music School, located in L. Asanavičiūtės g. 2, Vilnius.

II. GOAL

5. The competition aims to increase the exposure to Lithuanian music and introduce young performers to string pieces by Lithuanian composers from various time periods.

III. TASKS

6. Nurture the artistic sense of young performers, encourage and improve their proficiency at solo performances; develop students’ creative expressiveness and discover their individual talents.
7. Share experience and increase cooperation with local and foreign music & art schools.

IV. PARTICIPANTS

8. Eligible participants are string instrument (Violin, Viola, Violoncello, Contrabass) students from Lithuanian and foreign music & art schools.
9. Age groups: Group A: 7-9 years, Group B: 10-12 years, Group C: 13-15 years, Group D: 16-18 years.
10. Participants will perform in order of age (day of birth).

V. PARTICIPANTS

11. Participants will perform two pieces of a different character (for example, a lyrical and a technical piece). One of them must have been composed by a Lithuanian composer. The pieces can be performed either solo or with a teacher concertmaster.
12. Duration of the performance: Group A: up to 5 minutes; Group B: up to 8 minutes; Group C: up to 12 minutes; Group D: up to 15 minutes.
13. Larger form musical compositions (and their parts) will not be evaluated.
14. Schools are limited to two participants in each age group. These two participants must also perform on different instruments (Violin, Viola, Violoncello, Contrabass).
15. Fee for participating in the competition: 20 Euro. The fee is non-refundable.
16. Participation fees are to be transferred to the VŠĮ “Meno manija“ bank account (please scroll down for details).
17. Any additional relevant information will be provided to the participants via e-mail.
18. Participants are responsible for their own travel and lodging expenses.

VI. COMPETITION EVALUATION

19. The evaluation committee will be announced at the beginning of the event;
20. The participants' score is the total sum of points granted by members of the evaluation committee. The results are final and undisputable.
21. All participants will receive:
 - 21.1 Certificates of appreciation
 - 21.2 Certificates for finishing in 1st, 2nd, 3rd places.
 - 21.3 Special prizes and certificates.

VII. APPLYING FOR THE COMPETITION

22. Applications are to be sent to the event coordinator Edita Narmontienė via e-mail edita.smuikas@gmail.com until March 18th, 2023. Please submit the application sheet, parent/legal guardian agreement and the bank payment confirmation.
23. Participation fees are to be transferred to the bank account below. The payment must state the name and surname of the participant, as well as the purpose: Competition “A Day with a Lithuanian Play“
VšĮ “Meno manija“,
Address: D. Poškos g. 35-1, Vilnius,
Company code: 302743621,
Bank account no.: LT077300010130988730, AB “Swedbank“.

VIII. INFORMATION ABOUT THE COMPETITION

24. Further information about the competition can be obtained:
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via e-mail lietuviska.kmm@gmail.com
on the website of Vilnius Karoliniškės Music School: <https://www.karoliniskiumm.lt>
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